NCC believes the individual certified nurse is the best person to determine the specialty code for their CE, as they have the specific content of the CE program.

CE Coding for Legacy Examinations
(those no longer currently offered)

Your CE and NCC Maintenance Requirements

- Ambulatory Women’s Health Care Nursing
- High Risk Obstetric Nursing
- Reproductive Endocrinology/Infertility Nursing
- Telephone Nursing Practice
- ANA-MCH/NCC Joint Certification Program
AMBULATORY WOMEN’S HEALTH CARE NURSING

The following is a list of specialty topics that represent the content appropriate for maintaining Ambulatory Women’s Health Care Nursing certification. Note content is listed in alphabetical order.

AMBULATORY WOMEN’S HEALTH CARE NURSING CODES FOR MAINTENANCE

1. Obstetrics (Antepartum)
2. Gynecology
3. Infertility and Reproductive Endocrinology
4. Menopause
5. Postpartum Assessment, Care or Complications
6. Newborn Assessment, Care or Management of Complication
7. Breastfeeding
8. Primary Care
9. Maternal Factors Affecting the Newborn
10. Pharmacology
11. Physical Assessment, Physiology and Diagnostic and Laboratory Evaluation
12. Universal Hours (includes Legal and Ethical Issues, Research, Resuscitation and Stabilization & HIV)

SPECIALTY CONTENT TOPICS

- ABO incompatibility
- Abortion–spontaneous or elective
- Abruptio placenta
- Abstinence
- Acne
- Addictive disorders
- Adenomyosis
- Adnexal masses
- Adolescent pregnancy
- AIDS
- Allergies
- ALSO/ALS OB
- Amenorrhea
- Amniocentesis
- Androgen excess
- Anemia
- Anxiety disorders
- Asthma
- Auscultation of fetal heart rate
- Back pain
- Bacterial vaginosis
- Bartholin’s gland duct cyst
- Bell’s palsy
- Bleeding during pregnancy
- Blood glucose/hemoglobin A1C
- Blood type, Rh type and antibody screening
- Bone density testing
- Breast anatomy and physiology
- Breast biopsy
- Breast cancer
- Breast self exam
- Breastfeeding
- Bronchitis
- BUN and creatinine
- Candida albicans
- Cardiovascular disease in women
- Cervical biopsy
- Cervical cancer
- Cervical cap
- Cervical intraepithelial neoplasia
- Cervical polyps
- Cervical warts
- Cervicitis
- Cesarean birth
- Chancroid
- Childbirth preparation
- Chlamydia
- Cholecystitis in pregnancy
- Cholesterol disorders
- Chorionic villus sampling
- Chronic pelvic pain
- Cigarette smoking hazards
- Climacteric
- Coitus interruptus
- Colonoscopy
- Colposcopy
- Common cold
- Complementary medicine for Ob/Gyn
- Complete blood counts
- Condoms
- Conjunctivitis
- Contact dermatitis
- Contraception methods
- Contraception stress test
- Contraceptive sponge
- Cystitis
- Cytomeglovirus
- Dental care in pregnancy
- Depression
- Diabetes diagnosis and risks
- Diabetes in pregnancy
- Dilatation and curettage
- Domestic violence
- Dysfunctional uterine bleeding
- Dysmenorrhea
- Dyspareunia
- Ectopic Pregnancy
- Emergency contraception
- Endometrial biopsy
- Endometrial polyps
- Endometriosis
- Endometritis
- Environmental hazards during pregnancy
- Family history
- Fetal testing
- Female sex response
- Fertility awareness methods
- Fetal assessment
- Fibrocystic breast changes
- Fibromyalgia
- Fifth disease exposure in pregnancy
- Folic acid deficiency
- Fungal height measurements
- Galactorrhea
- Gallbladder disease
- Gastroesophageal reflux
- GBS culture
- Genetic risk assessment
- Gestational diabetes
- Gestational hypertension
- Gestational trophoblastic disease
- GI disturbances–common
- GnRH therapy
- Gonorrhea
- Grave’s disease
- Gynecologic anatomy and physiology
- Gynecologic diseases/complications
- Headache
- Health history
- Health promotion – diet
- Health promotion – exercise
- Hepatitis (all types)
- Herbal medicines in ob/gyn
- Herpes
- Hirsutism
- HIV infection
- Hormone therapy
- Hot flashes
- Human papilloma virus
- Hyperemesis gravidarum
- Hyperlipidemia
- Hypermenorrhea
- Hyperprolactinemia
- Hypertension general
- Hyperthyroidism
- Hypomenorrhea
- Hypothyroidism
- Hysterectomy
- Hysterosalpingogram
- Hysteroscopy
- Immunizations
- Infectious disease screening
- Infertility
- Intermenstrual bleeding
- Interstitial cystitis
- Intrauterine devices
- Intrauterine growth retardation
- Iron deficiency anemia
- Irritable bowel syndrome
- Karyotyping
- Lactation amenorrhea method
- Laparoscopy
- Leiomyomas
- Leopold maneuvers
- Lipid profiles
- Liver function studies
- Lochia

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SPECIALTY CONTENT TOPICS
The following is a list of specialty topics that represent the content appropriate for maintaining Ambulatory Women’s Health Care Nursing certification.
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AMBULATORY WOMEN’S HEALTH CARE NURSING

Male infertility  
Mammograms  
Mastectomy  
Mastitis  
Medroxyprogesterone acetate  
Menarche  
Menopause  
Menstrual cycle  
Menstrual irregularities  
Menstruation  
Metrorrhagia  
Migraine headache  
Minor skin disorders  
Mitril valve prolapse  
Mullerian anomalies  
Multiple gestation  
Natural family planning  
Nicotine replacement therapy  
Nipple discharge  
Nonstress test  
Nutrition counseling  
Nuva ring  
Obesity  
Oligomenorrhea  
Osteoarthritis  
Osteoporosis  
Ovarian cancer  
Ovarian cysts  
Ovulation  
Ovulation testing  
Paget’s disease  
Pap smear technique and interpretation  
Parenting issues  
Parovirus screening  
Pelvic inflammatory disease  
Pelvic relaxation disorders  
Peptic ulcer disease  
Perimenopause  
Perinatal loss  
Pharmacokinetics  
Pharmacology – contraception  
Pharmacology – gynecologic disorders  
Pharmacology during pregnancy  
Pharyngitis  
Physical assessment – all systems  
Pityriasis rosea  
Placenta previa  
Polycystic ovarian syndrome  
Polymenorrhea  
Postcoital contraception  
Postpartum blues  
Postpartum complications  
Postpartum depression  
Postpartum hemorrhage  
Postpartum physiology  
Preconceptional counseling  
Preexisting condition complicating pregnancy  
Pregnancy complications  
Pregnancy physiology  
Pregnancy testing  
Premenstrual and related disorders  
Prenatal care  
Preterm birth risks  
Preterm labor  
Psoriasis  
Puberty  
Pylonephritis  
Reproductive technologies  
RhD alloimmunization  
Rubella  
Safe sex practices  
Seizures disorders
SPECIALTY CONTENT TOPICS

The following is a list of specialty topics that represent the content appropriate for maintaining High Risk Obstetric Nursing certification. Note content is listed in alphabetical order.

Abnormal implantation
Abruptio placentae
Abuse (physical/emotional/sexual)
Acid-base interpretation
Amniocentesis
Amniotic fluid disorders
Amniotic fluid embolism
Antibiotic therapy
Anticholinergic therapy
Anticoagulant therapy
Antidepressants/psychotropic
Antidiabetic, hypoglycemic drugs
Antidysrhythmic drugs
Antihypertensive agents
Anti-influenza agents
Antineoplastic agents
Antithyroid drugs
Apt testing
Asthma
Asymptomatic bacteriuria
Bacteriuria
Biochemical studies
Biophysical profile
Blood disorders
Breast cancer
Bronchodilators
Cardiac enzymes
CBC with differential
Cerebrovascular accidents
Cervical cancer
Chemical dependency
Cholecystitis/Cholelithiasis
Chorioamnionitis
Chorionic villus sampling (CVS)
Chronic hypertension
Coagulation profile
Collagen vascular diseases
Communicable infectious diseases
Congenital heart disease
Contraction stress testing
Cord blood sampling
Cordocentesis
Corticosteroids
Depression
Diabetes mellitus (all types)
Diabetic ketoacidosis
Disseminated intravascular coagulation (DIC)
Diuretics
Dysfunctional labor
Eclampsia
EGK interpretation
Electronic fetal monitoring
Emergency care
Fetal anatomy and physiology
Fetal assessment
Fetal blood sampling
Fetal heart rate pattern interpretation
Fetal laboratory evaluation
Fetal movement counting
Fetal pulmonary maturity studies
Fetal stimulation
Genetic screening
Gestational hypertension
Grieving
HELLP syndrome
Hematologic studies
Hemoglobinopathies
Hemorrhage
Hepatitis
Hydatidiform mole
Hyperemesis
Hypertensive crisis
Hypothyroidism
Hypoglycemia
Hypothyroidism
Induction/augmentation
Infectious disease/sepsis
Ischemic heart disease
Kleihauer Betke test
Labor assessment/abnormalities
Lifestyle and environmental risks
Lyme
Lymphatic cancer
Malignancies
Maternal anatomy and physiology
Maternal cardiac disease/anomalies
Maternal chest and renal X-ray
Maternal serum alpha fetoprotein (AFP)
Maternal ultrasound
Microbiologic studies
Minor trauma
Multiple gestation
Neurological disorders
Nonstress testing
Nutrition
Oligohydramnios
Pain management in labor
Papanicolaou smears
Pharmacology
Placenta accreta
Placenta percreta
Placenta previa
Placental function
Placental hormones
Pneumonia
Polyhydramnios
Post anesthesia/analgesia care
Post traumatic stress syndrome
Postdates pregnancy
Preeclampsia
Preterm pregnancy
Prolonged hospitalization/prolonged bedrest
Prolonged preterm rupture of membranes
Pulmonary disorders
Pulmonary edema
Pulmonary embolus
Pulmonary function tests
Pulse oximetry
Pyelonephritis
Renal and GU/GI disease
Renal failure (acute & chronic)
Resuscitation and stabilization
Rh, ABO and antibodies
Rubella
Scleroderma
Seizures
Sepsis
Septic shock
Sexual transmitted diseases
Sickle cell anemia/thalassemia
Spinal cord injury
STD screening and testing
Stress
Systemic lupus erythematosus
Thrombocytopenia (TTP and ITP)
Deep vein thrombosis
Thyroid disorders
Tocolytics
Toxicology
Transport preparation
Trauma
Tuberculosis testing
Uterine rupture
V/Q scan
Vaginal cultures
Varicella
Vasa previa
Vasodilators
VBAC
Viral studies
SPECIALTY CONTENT TOPICS

The following is a list of specialty topics that represent the content appropriate for maintaining Reproductive Endocrinology/Infertility Nursing certification. Note content is listed in alphabetical order.
SPECIALTY CONTENT TOPICS

The following is a list of specialty topics that represent the content appropriate for maintaining Telephone Nursing Practice certification. Note content is listed in alphabetical order.
 Anastasia, MCH/NCC Certification Program

This certification program was sponsored jointly by NCC and the ANA Maternal Child Division from 1976 to 1979.

Topics must relate to maternal, gynecologic and neonatal nursing specialty areas. Individual certified under this program, earned a credential for excellence in practice in maternal, gynecological and neonatal nursing.

Listed are four major specialty areas an individual selected as their primary area of certification under the joint program. The corresponding topics that are equivalent to NCC sponsored exams are listed next to each the topic areas. These are the topics that should guide the CE activities for maintenance.

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**Joint Process Specialty**
- Women's Health Care I
- Women's Health Care II
- Maternal Newborn Nursing Care
- Nursing Care in Labor & Delivery

**NCC Specialty Topics**
- Ambulatory Women's Health Care Nursing
- Ambulatory Women's Health Care Nursing
- Maternal Newborn Nursing
- Inpatient Obstetric Nursing

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### NCC “OTHER” CODES

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